

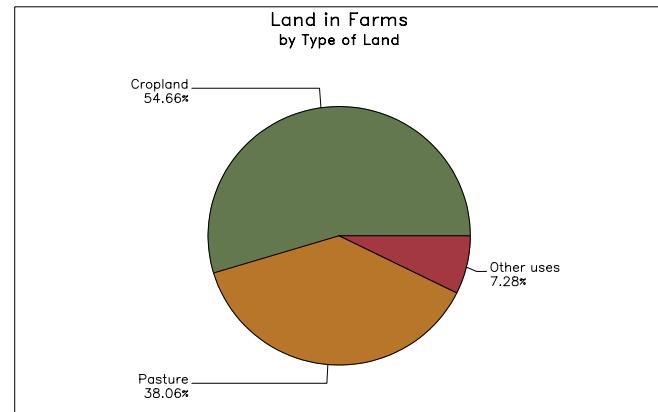
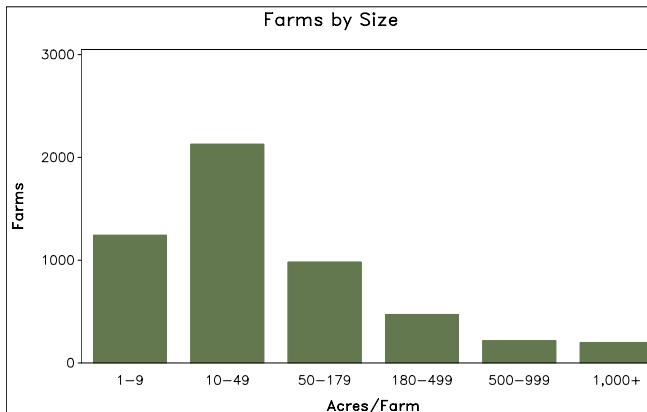
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Tulare, California



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	5,240	5,738	- 9
Land in Farms	1,168,684 acres	1,393,456 acres	- 16
Average Size of Farm	223 acres	243 acres	- 8
 Market Value of Production	 \$3,335,014,000	 \$2,338,577,000	 + 43
Crop Sales \$1,207,333,000 (36 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,127,681,000 (64 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$636,453	\$407,560	+ 56
 Government Payments	 \$20,335,000	 \$12,816,000	 + 59
Average Per Farm	\$34,407	\$24,318	+ 41



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Ranked items among the 58 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	3,335,014	2	58	2	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,207,333	5	58	5	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,127,681	1	57	1	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	64,326	7	48	461	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	26,693	5	13	41	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	26,449	23	55	90	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	944,585	3	56	3	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	93,041	14	56	33	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	211	10	40	228	1,710
Other crops and hay	52,029	9	56	28	3,054
Poultry and eggs	47,625	7	56	218	3,020
Cattle and calves	365,126	3	57	23	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,685,257	1	47	1	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	852	23	55	256	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	5,465	4	55	31	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	5	46	(D)	2,476
Cattle and calves	1,071,956	1	57	1	3,060
Hogs and pigs	(D)	1	54	(D)	2,958
Sheep and lambs	68,780	3	56	6	2,891
Colonies of bees	59,765	3	53	4	2,640
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	155,283	2	57	7	3,060
Corn for silage	116,372	1	33	1	2,263
Oranges, all	89,671	1	41	2	171
Grapes	53,926	6	52	6	2,040
Walnuts, English	26,418	4	47	4	540

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	749	Farming	2,786
\$1,000 to \$2,499	224	Other	2,454
\$2,500 to \$4,999	241	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	364	Male	4,615
\$10,000 to \$19,999	530	Female	625
\$20,000 to \$24,999	200	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	441	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	215	American Indian or Alaska Native	151
\$50,000 to \$99,999	556	Asian	310
\$100,000 to \$249,999	575	Black or African American	19
\$250,000 to \$499,999	376	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	11
\$500,000 or more	769	White	7,415
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,574,837	More than one race	63
Average per farm (\$)	491,381	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	1,439
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	871,303		
Average per farm (\$)	166,279		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.